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TO AMEMBASSY TOKYO PRIORITY

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, US, JA

SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE FOR EMPEROR

REF: STATE 226509

1. PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT TO  
EMPEROR THROUGH APPROPRIATE CHANNELS: QUOTE: YOUR  
IMPERIAL MAJESTY: THANK YOU FOR YOUR THOUGHTFUL MESSAGES  
ON THE RECENT INCIDENTS IN CALIFORNIA. YOUR KIND  
EXPRESSIONS OF CONCERN FOR MY WELFARE WERE DEEPLY  
APPRECIATED. MRS. FORD AND I LOOK FORWARD WITH PLEASURE  
TO SEEING YOU AND THE EMPRESS IN WASHINGTON ON OCTOBER 2.  
SINCERELY, GERALD R. FORD. UNQUOTE.

2. FYI: FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF SECOND MESSAGE FROM EMPEROR  
DATED SEPTEMBER 23: QUOTE: THE PRESIDENT, THE WHITE  
HOUSE. I WAS GREATLY SHOCKED TO HEAR OF ANOTHER  
OUTRAGEOUS ATTEMPT UPON YOUR PERSON BUT WAS RELIEVED AT  
THE NEWS OF YOUR SAFETY. HIROHITO. UNQUOTE.

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3. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN TO RELEASE BUT HAS NO

OBJECTION IF RECIPIENT WISHES TO DO SO. KISSINGER

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